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Dear Interested Public:

Thirteen livestock grazing permits authorizing livestock grazing on twenty-five allotments expire in 2015/2016, and one new permit on one allotment is being analyzed for issuance by the Bureau of Land Management's (BLM) Kremmling Field Office. A list of the affected allotments is enclosed. These permits need to be issued if livestock grazing is to continue. The enclosed maps identify each affected allotment by its general location and allotment number.

These allotments will be assessed for compliance with Standards for Public Land Health in Colorado. The Standards include 1) healthy upland soils, 2) healthy riparian areas, 3) healthy and productive plant and animal communities, 4) enhanced habitat for threatened and endangered species, and 5) water quality that meets the minimum standards for the State of Colorado. The Standards define the minimum resource conditions that must be achieved and maintained on each allotment. The expiring permits will undergo review for consistency and conformance with the Kremmling Resource Management Plan and compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA).

Before BLM begins writing an environmental analysis for these permit renewals, it wants to hear from the public about any general or allotment-specific issues, concerns or information that should be considered as part of this assessment. Comments will be accepted throughout 2015 but will be most help if received by March 31, 2015 to the Kremmling Field Office, P.O. Box 68, Kremmling, CO 80459.

Before including address, phone number, e-mail address, or any other personal identifying information in your comments, be advised that your entire comment, including personal identifying information, may be made publicly available at any time. While individuals may request BLM to withhold personal identifying information from public view, the BLM cannot guarantee it will be able to do so.

Sincerely,

/s/ Stephanie Odell

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Enclosures: Allotment Table and Maps